



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 6851**  
Hiroyuki SATO et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2006\_0613A  
Serial No. 10/577,379 : Group Art Unit 1796  
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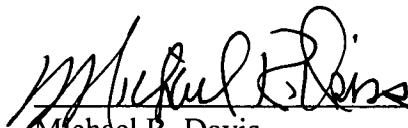
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